

**Louisville Metro Council  
Neighborhood Development Fund  
City Agency Request**

**By:** Kenneth C. Fleming  
**Councilman/woman**

May 17, 2006  
**Date**

**Amount:** \$7,920

**For (include public purpose):** Overtime expenses for officers to patrol River Road and Cox Park.

**Location:** River Road and Cox Park

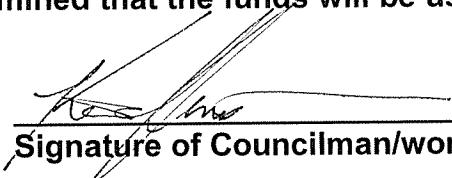
**City Agency :** Louisville Metro Police Department

**Contact Person:** Major Joe Richardson

**Agency Address:** 5<sup>th</sup> Police Division, 2301 Douglas Blvd

**Agency Phone:** 574-7636

**I have reviewed this request for an expenditure of city tax dollars, and have determined that the funds will be used for a public purpose.**

  
**Signature of Councilman/woman**

5/17/06  
**Date**

**Approved by Appropriations Committee on:**

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**Appropriations Committee Chair**

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**Osborne, Jennifer**

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**From:** Richardson, Joe [Joe.Richardson@lmpd.loukymetro.org]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 19, 2006 9:34 AM  
**To:** Fleming, Ken  
**Cc:** Osborne, Jennifer  
**Subject:** FW: Cruising on River Rd.

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**From:** Richardson, Joe  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 17, 2006 2:36 PM  
**To:** Fleming, Ken  
**Cc:** Osborne, Jennifer  
**Subject:** Cruising on River Rd.

Councilman Ken Fleming,  
Sunday cruising issues have started early this year concerning River Road at/near Cox's Park. Area businesses such as the Chevron and BP located at Zorn and River Rd. lose business because the cruisers completely fill their lots. These businesses also experience thefts resulting from this cruising problem. Another point brought to our attention is guest parking at the Ramada Inn. This is also located in the River Rd. corridor. Traffic inside Cox's Park becomes bottlenecked and creates an emergency response issue.

I am writing in response to our recent conversations regarding this cruising problem and the possibility of your office providing LMPD with Overtime Funding to assist. In my opinion this will assist us greatly in controlling the cruising and the problem it causes.

A police detail of this type normally includes a Sergeant and four officers and they will usually work for four hours each Sunday afternoon and early evening. The approximate cost of overtime for working eight Sundays is approximately \$ 7,920.00.

I appreciate your offer to assist us and look forward to hearing from you regarding possible funding for this initiative.

Major Joe Richardson  
5th Division

5/19/2006